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NEW REGIONAL FORESTER HOLDS PRESS OPEN HOUSE

PORTLAND, September 6--John Butruille (Beeu-TREL), new Regional Forester for the Pacific Northwest Region of the U.S. Forest Service, will be available to meet with the media and answer questions at a Press Open House to be held from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 19, at the Multnomah Building, 319 S.W. Pine St., in Room #602.

Butruille became Regional Forester on August 28. He moved from from Washington D.C. where he served as national director of the Recreation Management Staff.

As Regional Forester for the 19 National Forests of Oregon and Washington and the Crooked River National Grassland, Butruille is responsible for the management and protection of some 24.5 million acres of public lands including the Mount St. Helens National Volcanic Monument, Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area and Hells Canyon National Recreation Area. He is also responsible for cooperative assistance programs to states and private landowners.

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